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In re Application of

Customer Number: 20277

Mitsuhiro OKUDA, et al.

Confirmation Number: 9724

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Group Art Unit: 1615

Filed: November 07, 2003

Examiner: VANIK, DAVID L.

For: METHOD OF PRODUCTION OF NANOPARTICLE AND NANOPARTICLE PRODUCED BY THE METHOD OF

PRODUCTION

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required.

Applicant is entitled to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27

Also attached:

Certification of English Translation of Japanese Priority Document – Japanese Patent Application

No. JP 2003-105676

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	11	20	0	\$50.00 =	\$0.00
Independent Claims	1	3	0	\$200.00 =	\$0.00
		Multiple dependent claims newly presented			\$0.00
		Fee for extension of time			\$0.00
					\$0.00
		Total of Above Calculations			\$0.00

Please charge my Deposit Account No. <u>500417</u> in the amount of \$0.00. An additional copy of this transmittal sheet is submitted herewith.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 500417, including any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation of extra claims and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 3, 2005, having a three-month shortened statutory period for response set to expire June 3, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows: